

# SOLID WASTE ENFORCEMENT (SWE) PROGRESS REPORT

**ORGANIZATION:** Clark County Public Health

YEAR: <u>2021</u> QUARTER: <u>3</u> REPORT FROM DATE: <u>07/01/21</u> REPORT TO DATE: <u>09/30/21</u>

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#### **ACTIVITIES FOR REPORTING PERIOD:**

# **CITIZEN COMPLAINTS:**

Solid Waste Complaints Received: 45

Jurisdictions: Unincorporated Clark County: 22; Vancouver: 20; Camas: 1; Ridgefield: 1; Washougal: 1

Solid Waste Complaints Resolved (also include past complaints not previously resolved): 42

Jurisdictions: Unincorporated Clark County: 20; Vancouver: 19; Camas: 1; Ridgefield: 1; Washougal: 1

## PERMITTED SOLID WASTE HANDLING FACILITIES:

Total number of facility inspections: 11

Central Transfer & Recycling (transfer station), Circle C Landfill (closed LP), City of Washougal Stormwater Decant Facility (vactor waste), H&H Wood Recyclers (composting), Hallstrom Landfill (closed LP), Lady Island Landfill (active LP), Leichner Landfill (closed MSW), Burlington Environmental (MRW handling), Washougal Transfer Station (transfer station), West Van Materials Recovery (transfer station), Whatley Pit Decant Facility (vactor waste processing)

Total number of permits issued/renewed: 0

**Total number of new facility permit applications received & reviewed: 0** (Notified of City of Battle Ground Decant Facility Expansion proposal; CCPH & ECY met onsite 09/30/2021 a solid waste handling permit will be required.)

Number of Enforcement Actions: 0

Annual Reports Received: 0

# OTHER SOLID WASTE HANDLING FACILITIES (i.e. Exempt):

#### Total number of EXEMPT facility inspections: 18

Cadman Materials Inc, City Bark, Columbia Rock Products Inc, Earth Friendly Recycling LLC, East County Materials (Rotschy), EH Metal Recycling LLC, Green Works Enterprises (not accepting material to date), Haag & Shaw Inc, Lakeside Industries Vancouver, McFarlanes Bark Inc, Metro Metals LLC, Paper People LLC, Royal Rangers Outpost #413, Section 30 Pit (inspected 09/23/21 & 09/30/21); Triangle Resources, Vancouver Asphalt Facility- SE 1st (AKA Granite)

### Total number of EXEMPTION Notifications Approved: 0

**Total number of new exempt facility permit applications received: 0** (NOTE: Three pending for Q4: NOI requested for City of Battle Ground as a preliminary step to address management of materials observed onsite 09/30/21; Section 30 Pit requested to modify NOI to include wood waste piles observed during 09/23/21 inspection & NOI requested for inert piles observed at Three Kings Environmental 09/30/21.)

Total number of EXEMPTION Notifications Denied/In Progress: 0

Number of complaints: 0

Annual Reports Received: 0

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### **OTHER:**

Trainings/Meetings: CCPH All-Staff; CCC 24.12 Code Update (internal) meetings; Meeting: Georgia Pacific Election of Financial Institution w/ CCPH, Meeting: City of Battle Ground- Decant Facility discussion; Meeting: Washington Recycles Every Day (WRED): Recycling Around the World; Training: Hazard Communication; Training: California Statewide Commission on Recycling Markets; Training: Conflict Resolution; Training: Climate Conversations: Extreme Events; Training: SWANA: Redevelopment of Solid Waste Sites

Customer & General Public Technical Assistance: letters, telephone calls, emails etc.

**Code/Ordinance Development & Review:** CCPH continues to reevaluate CCC 24.12 under the current 21/23 LSWFA biennium. Revisions prepared and collaboration efforts to move project forward toward public review portion of process Q4 2021. Review process slowed as CCPH COVID-19 response has elevated & meeting rooms (w/technology) have limited availability. NOTE: CCPH Incident Command for COVID-19 response terminated June 30, 2021.

Equipment/Major Purchases: N/A

Misc: N/A

# **ATTACHMENTS:**

- A) Permitted Facility Inspection Reports
- B) Exempt Facility Inspection Reports
- C) Complaints Received/Resolved Log